IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Serial No.

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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE WITH AN INTEGRATED CMOS CIRCUIT WITH MOS TRANSISTORS HAVING SILICON-GERMANIUM (Sl_1-xGe_x) GATE ELECTRODES, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE

Please change the Title to all Capital Letters.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, before line 1, insert as a centered heading:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 2, line 18, insert as a centered heading:

-- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 5, line 4, insert as a centered heading:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING--;

line 14, insert as a centered heading:

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